

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION**

U.S. COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING  
COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

VS.

FINANCIAL ROBOTICS, INC. and  
MARK E. RICE,

Defendants.

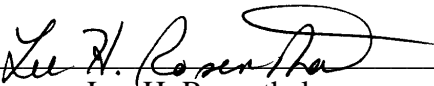
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CIVIL ACTION NO. H-11-2446

**ORDER**

A hearing on Rice's Motion to Modify the SRO to Allow Earned Income and Payment of Living Expenses, (Docket Entry No. 113), is set for **August 6, 2012 at 10:00 a.m.** The parties should be prepared to address all issues raised by Rice's motion and to present evidence on the status of Rice's compliance with this court's SRO. Out-of-state counsel for the CFTC may appear by telephone if the CFTC anticipates that its participation in the hearing will be minimal. If the CFTC anticipates presenting any substantive arguments, presenting any evidence, or cross-examining any witnesses, counsel must appear in person.

SIGNED on July 30, 2012, at Houston, Texas.

  
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Lee H. Rosenthal  
United States District Judge